

**REMARKS**

Please enter this Supplemental Amendment. New claims 27-30 are supported by the specification at page 10, lines 10-13.

Applicants enclose herewith a Rule 132 Declaration from Eiichi Okazaki and request that it be entered in the file.

Applicants enclose herewith a verified translation of JP 07-102027-A for the Examiner's independent consideration. This translation should be considered in conjunction with the information previously disclosed, including the Information Disclosure Statement filed herein on February 23, 2005.

Applicants point out that they filed an RCE on February 16, 2005.

Early and favorable action on this application is earnestly, but respectfully, solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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